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In re Application of:	
Josephus H. M. LANGE et al.))
Serial No.: 10/662,477) Group Art Unit: 1614
Filed: September 16, 2003) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned)
For: 1H-1,2,4-TRIAZOLE-3-CARBOXAMIDE DERIVATIVES HAVING CANNABINOID-CB ₁ RECEPTOR AGONISTIC, PARTIAL AGONISTIC, INVERSE AGONISTIC OR ANTAGONISTIC ACTIVITY))))

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are attached. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents on the attached Form PTO-1449 and indicate that they were considered by making an appropriate notation on that form. This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

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For the Examiner's convenience, Applicants also enclose a copy of the European

Search Report issued during the prosecution of the priority application, EP 02 07 8966.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art

exists and does not constitute an admission that any of the listed documents are material or

constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies any of the documents as prior art against any

claim in the application and Applicants determine that the cited documents do not constitute

"prior art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the Office the

relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents. Applicants

further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the

disclosed invention over the listed documents, should any of the documents be applied

against the claims of the present application.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Statement, please charge

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Respectfully submitted,

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